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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Confirmation No. 6935
Tatsuhiko SHIBUYA et al. : Docket No. 00774/98-129
Serial No. 09/302,471 : Group Art Unit 1755
Filed April 30, 1999 : Examiner D. Brunzman

SILICA-BASED COATING FILM ON
SUBSTRATE AND COATING SOLUTION
THEREFOR

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE
FEE FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975.

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Assistant Commissioner for Patents,
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated January 22, 2002 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 7-15.

- () A timely response to the final rejection has been filed.
- () The extension fee of \$_____ for a _____ month extension of time is submitted with the attached Petition for Extension of Time.
- (X) The Appeal Fee of [X] \$320.00 (other than Small Entity)
[] \$160.00 (Small Entity)
- (X) is enclosed
() is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 23-0975. The original and two copies of this sheet are enclosed.
- () Small entity status of this application is established by the verified statement under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 which
() is enclosed.
() has been previously submitted.

() The Appeal Fee is not required since it was paid in a prior appeal.

Respectfully submitted,

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